## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Yukio Yamaii et al. : Confirmation No.: 6232

Application No. 10/528,228 : TC/Art Unit: 1733

Filed: March 18, 2005 : Examiner: Steven Maki

FOR: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR : Atty Docket: P70312US0

FRACTIONATING GYPSUM SLURRY AND METHOD OF PRODUCING GYPSUM BOARD

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME - THREE MONTHS

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions that an extension of the term necessary to render timely the filing of the accompanying response in the above-identified application be granted.

Costs under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)-(5) for such extension(s) and/or any other fee due with this response, not fully covered by the enclosed Credit Card Payment Form, may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 06-1358 to keep this case alive. This does not include 37 CFR 1.16 fees when this extension accompanies a continuing application filed under Rule 53(f) without filing fee and/or Declaration.

Respectfully submitted,

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